Prevalence of AIDS

4853. SHRI B.J. PANDA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the States which have high prevalence of AIDS cases;

(b) whether any kind of vaccine has been developed in the country or abroad for total cure of this disease;

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the progress made in research;

(d) whether the high cost of treatment is subsidized by Government in certain hospitals;

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(f) the number of AIDS cases detected and the number of deaths caused by this dreaded disease during the last two years, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) The States of Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Manipur and Nagaland are reported to have high prevalence of HIV/AIDS cases.

(b) and (c) No Sir. More than 30 candidates vaccines worldwide have been tested in over 60 phase I / II trials, however, the efficiency of the HIV vaccines is yet to proved.

(d) and (e) Government provides funds to State AIDS Control Societies for treatment of opportunistic infections in HIV/AIDS patients in public sector hospitals free of cost. However, anti retroviral therapy is not provided under the programme due to prohibitive costs.

(f) Statements indicating number of reported AIDS cases and AIDS deaths during last two years are annexed as Statement-I and Statement-II respectively.

Statement-I

AIDS CASES

S.No.	State/UT	2000	2001
1.	A&N Island	9	8
2.	Andhra Pradesh	485	732
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0
4.	Assam	62	30
5.	Bihar	36	53
6.	Chandigarh	114	189
7.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	0
8.	Daman & Diu	0	0
9.	Delhi	64	358
10.	Goa	10	46
11.	Gujarat	245	877
12.	Haryana	47	141
13.	Himachal Pradesh	15	51
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	0	0
15.	Karnataka	541	516
16.	Kerala	56	105
17.	Lakshadweep	0	0
18.	Madhya Pradesh	294	139
19.	Maharashtra	348	2728
20.	Manipur	364	307
21.	Meghalaya	0	0
22.	Mizoram	3	5
23.	Nagaland	51	131
24.	Orissa	52	28
25.	Pondicherry	0	0
26.	Punjab	31	4
27.	Rajasthan	106	136
28.	Sikkim	0	2
29.	Tamil Nadu	4206	6484
30.	Tripura	0	0
31.	Uttar Pradesh	93	202
32.	West Bengal	0	668
33.	A. bad Munci. Corp.	0	189
	TOTAL:	7232	14129

Statement-II

AIDS DEATHS

S.No.	State / UT	2000	2001
1.	Andhra Pradesh	-	53
2.	Assam	1	-
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	-	-
4.	A&N Islands	7	2
5.	Bihar	7	1
6.	Chandigarh	13	29
7.	Punjab	-	-
8.	Delhi	24	27
9.	Daman & Diu	-	-
10.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	-	-
11.	Goa	3	15
12.	Gujarat	-	20
13.	Haryana	5	-
14.	Himachal Pradesh	-	-
15.	Jammu & Kashmir	-	-
16.	Karnataka	19	27
17.	Kerala	-	-
18.	Lakshadweep	-	-
19.	Madhya Pradesh	50	5
20.	Maharashtra	77	176
21.	Manipur	17	50
22.	Mizoram	7	-
23.	Meghalaya	-	-
24.	Nagaland	25	28
25.	Orissa	-	-
26.	Pondicherry	-	-
27.	Rajasthan	-	-
28.	Sikkim	-	-
29.	Tamil Nadu	119	249
30.	Tripura	-	-
31.	Uttar Pradesh	4	15
32.	West Bengal	-	68
	TOTAL:	378	765